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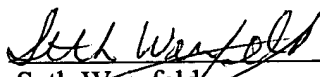
1. Japanese Patent Application No. 11-148007 (Japanese Laid Open Patent Application 2000-338941 dated December 8, 2000 corresponding to U.S. 2001/0013843 dated August 16, 2001 previously cited by the Examiner in an Office Action dated February 17, 2004.)

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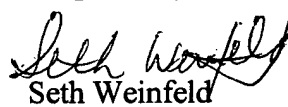
  
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2. Japanese Laid Open Patent Application 5-145866 dated June 11, 1993
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8. Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-85713 (Japanese Laid Open Patent Application 2001-272723 dated October 5, 2001)

The references were cited in an Office Action dated July 15, 2003 received from the Japanese Patent Office. Applicants are submitting copies of the above-cited references, together with an English translation of the Examiner's comments regarding the references from the Official Action. Please note that Japanese Laid Open Patent Application 8-88820 was previously submitted in an Information Disclosure Statement dated March 27, 2001. The relevance of the references is described in the Official Action.

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Respectfully submitted,



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